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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Toshiharu EMMEI  
Serial no. :  
Filed :  
For : KEY SYSTEM  
Group Art Unit : 2635  
Examiner : Matsuichiro Shimizu  
Docket : ADACHI P145USD1

AB (M)  
Preliminary  
1.11.02

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

By way of preliminary amendment, please amend the above identified application as set forth below.

**In the Drawings:**

Please amend Figs. 3 and 11 of the drawings presently on file per the attached Submission. Also please enter the enclosed new formal Figs. 1-17, accompanying this Submission, which incorporate all of the requested drawing amendments.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel claims 1-5, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, in favor of new claims 6-9 as follows.